

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEW MEXICO

STATE OF NEW MEXICO, *ex rel.*  
State Engineer

Plaintiff,

vs.

ROMAN ARAGON, *et al.*,

Defendants.

69cv07941-BB-LFG

RIO CHAMA STREAM SYSTEM  
Section 1, Chama Mainstream

Subfile No. 194

**NOTICE AND ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE**

To: Estate of Rebecca A. Serna  
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Ditch or Acequia: Acequia de Hernandez  
Map and Tracts: 23.22 & 23.22A

**Proposed Priority Date: 1600**

You are hereby notified that the Court has entered an Order requiring you to show if you disagree with the proposed priority date (1600) for the water rights described in Subfile No.194 in Section 1 of the Rio Chama Stream System for Tracts 23.22 and 23.22A. Since the time the Court adjudicated the priority date for these water rights, a court-appointed historian has studied the history of the settlement of this area and the priority dates further. The result of this study is that the priority date for the water rights associated with Tracts 23.22 and 23.22A is earlier than previously determined. The new, proposed earlier date is shown above.

If you agree with this date (1600), you do not need to take any action, and the Court will enter an Order that recognizes the proposed priority date. If you disagree, you must follow the instructions below.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED THAT if you object to the priority date stated above (1600) for the water rights associated with Tracts 23.22 and 23.22A and want to offer proof of an earlier date, you must file a written objection with the Court. A form that you may use for this purpose is enclosed with this notice. You must file your objection, if any, with the Federal District Court, in person or by mail **FOR RECEIPT NO LATER THAN JANUARY 16, 2012.**

United States District Court Clerk  
333 Lomas Blvd. NW, Suite 270  
Albuquerque, NM 87102

If you timely file an objection, the Court will notify you of a mandatory scheduling and pretrial conference, where you will learn how objections will be heard by the Court.

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BRUCE D. BLACK  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE